

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Arthur M. Krieg et al.  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page **2** of this amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page **4** of this amendment.